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## Bomb Threat Cleared at Sussex Correctional Institution in Georgetown

The Delaware Department of Correction announces that the bomb threat received at Sussex Correctional Institution (SCI) in Georgetown has been cleared and lock-down status at the facility has been lifted.

Delaware State Police, who utilized bomb-detecting dogs to sweep the perimeter of the facility, all areas where outside deliveries had been made, and the parking lots, gave the all clear at 11:45 a.m.

The threat was called into the facility's main phone line at 8:35 a.m., and standard emergency procedure was followed.